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AMENDMENT

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INVENTION: "PRINTER AND PRINTER HEAD"

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P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	() X 100.00 () X 200.00	0.00
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- Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2006 for 3 months so that the period for response is extended to February 23, 2007.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Applicant's Attorneys' credit card in the amount of \$ 120 to cover the 1st month extension fee. Form 2038 is attached.
- Postal Money Order Nos. 00000008 and 00000007 in the total amount of \$ 900 are attached to cover the 2nd and 3rd month extension fees.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
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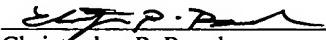
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RESPONSE TO AUGUST 23, 2006 OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This Response is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2006. Applicants respectfully request amendment of the patent application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.